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WITH ENHANCED SURFACE PROPERTIES, METHOD  
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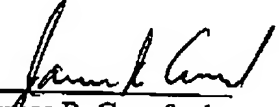
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**Title**

Polyurethane-polymer hybrid-dispersion with enhanced surface properties, method for the production and utilization thereof

**Preliminary Class**

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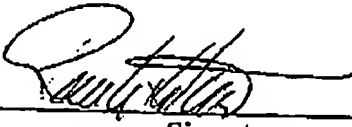
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